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## High School Notes

Results of last week's examinations were very gratifying according to the report of Mr. Maxwell. On account of this the students look forward to the time when Mr. Maxwell fulfills his promise of buying a new hat.

The fourth year English class has been writing several plays and dialogues. The class of 1917 has an outlook that it may produce several famous playwrights.

The several streaks of sunshine that we have had lately has been arousing the picnicing spirit in the high school. If the sun continues to shine the result may be a picnic.

Some of the students have purchased band instruments. Next year they look forward to a high school orchestra.

A little over one month and the school year will come to an end. Commencement exercises are being planned already. One of the features will be two orations by the masculine members of the Senior class.

Eldon Cross being compelled to work in the store has been unable to attend school the last few days. This means that one-half of all the boys in the Senior class have been absent.

Clifford Carey, a recent student, was examined at Brownsville for the navy. His digestible apparatus being disordered he was compelled to delay his final enlistment until he should have dieted according to directions. However, after that, he expects to join. We are sorry to see him go and admire his patriotic efforts.

—High School Reporter.


**Dr. Ernest M. Kenyon**
DENTIST
405 FIRST NAT'L BANK BLDG.
ALBANY


## Potter News

J. C. Porter and A. N. Smith were Albany visitors Monday.

Mrs. Vera Springer, of Shedd, was visiting her mother here Tuesday.

A little noise was started at the ball diamond last Sunday after the long silence of rainy weather when the sports came together for a little try out. The ground was soft but there were not many rooters out.

One night last week a large crowd met at the Hotel de Potter where Cummings, the wizard, showed some slight of hand tricks that would make the eyes of the man in the moon turn green with envy. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Abraham, Mr. Koch, Mr. and Mrs. Wahl and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. George Maxwell, Mrs. J. C. Porter, Mrs. W. W. Bass and daughters, Mr. F. C. Salmon, Cuma and Millie Smith, Ida Abraham, Lawrence and Alene Zimmerman, Miss Ora and Oliver Farmer, Elmer Munson, Fred and Harry Porter, Cart, Worth, Joe and Essn Bass, Will Price, Everett and Will Abraham. After some good music they all had a good feed and went home rejoicing that they had a big night.


*The Point Of a Tack*

is a very good one, but here's a better point. Are you ready to receive the new year properly? Is your commercial and social printing up to date? Let us print your Calendars, Business Cards, Programs, Letter Heads and Billheads.

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## Notice to Men and Boys

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E. C. MILLER
BARBER


## NOTICE

Young men wishing to serve their country by enlisting in the U. S. Army please leave your names at the Halsey postoffice.

If you want to trade a few dozen eggs for a second-hand Ford runabout, or sell a horse or a cow advertise it in The Halsey Enterprise.

Farm For Sale.—A well improved 85 acre farm. For particulars inquire at the Enterprise office.


## Odd Job Work Wanted

On account of the high cost of leather I am obliged to close my shop and seek work elsewhere. Call on me for housecleaning, gardening, rough carpenter work, plain painting or other odd job work.

E. M. JEWETT


"A good road is a thing that will last forever, when properly kept in repair," remarks an exchange. "The next generation has no right to be enjoying an improvement that their fathers sweat to pay cash for. The children of today can use the improved roads in going to school so why shouldn't they help pay for them. Under a bonding system the cost is distributed over a long period of years and is more just than a pay-as-you-go system which means a heavy tax upon the farmers of today if roads are really made good, or it means a continual tinkering with the roads and eventually getting no real improvement."

In an editorial indorsing the good roads bond bill, the Portland Journal said in part:

Shall we go on wasting tax money in the filling of mud holes or shall we concentrate our expenditures on the most important roads and when they are made efficient pass on to the next in importance and so on?

Shall we continue to spend forty or fifty million dollars during the next ten years without system, as at present, or shall we spend that amount in a business-like way on some definite plan?

We can not get away from the fact that we must spend for good roads wether we have them or not.

The state bonding act (good roads) does not mean that an indebtedness will be incurred. It means that the state will use its credit to build a hard surface road in different parts of the state which the revenue from automobile licenses will pay for in years to come. It does not mean increased taxation. It ought to mean a reduction of taxes for has not the old system of filling up mud holes been an extravagant and useless expenditure of the taxpayers' money.—Silverton Tribune.

The Enterprise prints sale bills.

Get your telephone batteries at the telephone office, 35c each.


# Saves Eggs

Royal Baking Powder makes it possible to produce appetizing and wholesome cakes, muffins, cornbread, etc., with fewer eggs than are usually required.

In many recipes the number of eggs may be reduced and excellent results obtained by adding an additional quantity of Royal Baking Powder, about a teaspoon, for each egg omitted. The following tested recipe is a practical illustration:

SPONGE CAKE

1 cup sugar
½ cup water
3 eggs
2 teaspoons Royal Baking Powde
1 cup flour
1 teaspoon salt
½ cup cold water
1 teaspoon flavoring

DIRECTIONS:—Boil sugar and water until syrup spins a thread and add to the stiffly beaten whites of eggs, beating until the mixture is cold. Sift together three times the flour, salt and baking powder; beat yolks of eggs until thick; add a little at a time flour mixture and egg yolks alternately to white of egg mixture, stirring after each addition. Add ½ cup cold water and flavoring. Mix lightly and bake in moderate oven one hour.

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## A DOLLAR'S WORTH FOR A DOLLAR SPENT

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In the selection of a Highway Engineer at an annual salary of $3600, the State Highway Commission threw another bombshell into the camp of those opposing the road bond bill. Opponents of this measure had been predicting that a $5000 or $6000 man would be given this job. The action of the Commissioners in this important matter only corroborates the assurance previously given that they will safely and economically expend all funds entrusted to them. It is entirely in keeping with the announced policy of the Commission that it will give a dollar's worth of value for every dollar expended in all matters connected with road construction. Mr. Nunn, the Highway Engineer, was selected because of his efficiency. He has had years of experience in road building and the records of his work show the most satisfactory results at a low cost to those footing the bills.

## IS MR. SPENCE CONSISTENT?

Four years ago C. E. Spence, Master of the Grange, advocated the Grange bill which proposed the issuance of 6 per cent bonds by counties for construction of permanent roads, the bonds to be paid by direct tax levy.

Mr. Spence is now vigorously opposing the road bond bill which proposes issuing $6,000,000 twenty-five-year 4 per cent bonds for hard-surfaced roads. A direct tax is not imposed for the retirement of these bonds. Ample revenue to pay the interest and retire the bonds at maturity is already provided by law from the increased automobile licenses and the existing one-fourth mill state road tax which has been a fixed tax against all property in the state for the last four years. In other words, the bill to be passed upon by the voters at the June election will not increase the general taxes of the individual.

If Mr. Spence was right in 1912 he is wrong now.

## MILITARY PREPAREDNESS

Moving of heavy gun carriages, and heavy loads of ammunitions and army supplies, necessitates better roads than at present are available in Oregon.

I. our state is exposed to attack, the railroad facilities are not as well adapted to carrying heavy guns as are improved highways, and it is up to Oregon to get its through trunk roads in shape to facilitate the movement of supplies.

Should the railroad centers become too congested, owing to war burdens, or should they fall into the hands of an enemy, the through roads would be the only means of communication left to get supplies from place to place in the interior. Farmers would of necessity depend upon the through roads for marketing their crops. Every resident of Oregon will see the necessities of the situation once this is called to his attention and will see the bearing this has on the road question to be voted upon June 4th.—The Dallas Chronicle.

Good roads are indispensable to the progress and prosperity of any state or community. Such improvements attract the tourist, encourage local development, promote social life, improve market conditions and stimulate thrift. Rural life is made more attractive and agricultural development is advanced in proportion as accessible roads are established and maintained. The further settlement and development of the state's untenanted lands add to their value. The consequent increase in assessable values gives assurance of reduced taxes. Support the good roads bond bill June 4th and thereby assist to effect these conditions.

If you want to trade a few sacks of spuds or onions for a second-hand touring car, or sell a horse, cow, or in fact anything try an ad. in The Enterprise.


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